

The St. Johns Herald.

OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER

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SUPREME COURT.

SUMNER HOWARD, Chief Justice, Prescott.
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COUNTY OFFICIALS.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.
H. Hauling, Ernest Tice, W. R. Leonard, T. S. Bunch, Clerk.
Quarterly meetings of the board will be held first Monday in January, April, July and October.
SHERIFF. J. L. Hubbell.
PROBATE JUDGE. E. C. Bunch.
TREASURER. Donaldo Rada.
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RECORDER. C. L. Guttererson.
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT. Sumner Howard.
JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT. W. M. Rudd.
CLERK OF COURT. Alfred Ruiz.
Terms of the District Court, first Mondays in February and August.

POST OFFICE.

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St. Johns, Thursday, Sept. 3.

LOCAL NEWS.

Nathan Barth arrived from Holbrook on Tuesday.

Mr. John Nichols was in town several days this week.

Joseph Crosby returned from Albuquerque on Monday.

Perkins & Taylor are building a new store building in Holbrook.

Mr. James E. Porter returned from a surveying trip Tuesday morning.

Chief Justice Sumner Howard is expected to arrive in town on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Hubbell has been spending a few days at his ranch at Salt Lakes.

Ice-cold milk punches can be had at all times at the St. Johns Billiard Parlors.

Sheriff J. L. Hubbell and his deputy, Tom Hubbell, have returned from Albuquerque.

Mr. Frank Clark has removed his tonorial paraphernalia to the St. Johns billiard parlor.

Frank Lewis' fast express wagon is making regular trips between this city and the railroad.

Harry Silvers came up from Springerville yesterday, and returned to that town again to-day.

Louie Trauer has returned to his farm, after an absence of about three weeks at Holbrook.

Mr. Lewis Lynch, of Navajo, brought over a coach load of passengers from the railroad on Monday.

Mr. German, a gentleman from Michigan, has been employed to teach the district school in Holbrook.

Business is at a stand-still in the county court. County Judge Rudd is at his ranch, near Springerville.

The juries for the coming term of the district court will not be drawn until after the arrival of Judge Howard.

Mr. A. Schuster, one of Holbrook's enterprising business men, came over from the railroad the first of the week.

Road Overseer Begg is building bridges and making repairs on the Navajo road, about twelve miles north of town.

Mr. C. E. Cooley, of Show Low, was in town the first of the week, on business before the clerk of the district court.

Mr. Ike Clanton is busily engaged in making improvements on his ranch. He recently purchased, at the Cienega Amarilla.

Ice cream is made fresh every day, and can be purchased in any quantity, at the St. Johns billiard saloon, on Commercial street.

Messrs. James Wallace and John Nichols were in town for several days this week on business connected with their land claims.

Thomas Luckey and A. D. McIntosh have returned from Socorro, having disposed of the band of horses which they took to that city.

Farmers in the neighborhood of St. Johns are harvesting their grain. With but one or two exceptions fair average crops are reported.

The lunch counter in Darling's saloon is rapidly approaching completion, and it is the intention to have it in running order the first of next week.

Pechner, of the St. Johns Billiard Parlor, now announces that during the entire term of the District Court, there will be furnished a sumptuous free lunch, at 12 o'clock each day, and a "set-out"

every evening, to which he invites the public generally. As a special novelty there will be instrumental music, set to lively airs, that all patrons may eat, drink and be merry.

An examination of teachers for the county public schools takes place in this city next Monday. Superintendent Long supervises the examination.

Citizens from all parts of the territory are stringing in to the county seat to be present at this term of the district court, which commences next Monday.

Mr. Charles Hubbell arrived from the Navajo country on Monday, bringing with him a herd of horses, for which he is having a ready sale at fair prices.

The mail that was stolen by the "hold-ups," on Tuesday, between this city and Navajo, was known to contain in cash between four and five hundred dollars.

Mr. Sol. Luna, of Los Lunas, New Mexico, is in the city. Mr. Luna's large stock and land interests in this section makes him a constant visitor at the county seat.

Mr. J. C. Herndon, of the law firm of Herndon & Hawkins, Prescott, Arizona, arrived on yesterday's mail coach, and will remain in the city during the session of the district court.

The district school will commence its annual session some day during the present month, to be fixed by the school board after the examination of candidates for teacher, September 8th.

The Hotel de McCormick, on Springerville street, is running its tables from early morn till dewy eve, without intermission, so great is the demand for the splendid entertainment therein provided.

The three thieves who stole some mules near Wilcox, in the southern part of the territory, and who subsequently were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Terrill at Holbrook, have been safely lodged in the jail at Tombstone.

A. Pechner, of the St. Johns Billiard Parlor, has just received from the east a large supply of the best brands of whiskey, beer, wines, cordials, cigars, etc., and is now prepared to serve his customers and the traveling public with all kinds of plain and fancy drinks. He also has for the accommodation of travelers large stables and corals well supplied with hay and grain.

F. T. Lewis, confectioner and dealer in fine, fresh fruits, has just received by his own express from the depot at Navajo a superb assortment of good goods, consisting of peaches, plums, pears, oranges, lemons, grapes, melons, fresh caramels, and every variety of candies. Go right straight to Lewis' bazar, provide for yourself and the children the delicious seasonal fruits he furnishes, and you will rest contented.

Quigley, the champion of the short order cuisine and lunch artists, met with a horrible disappointment on Tuesday last. The special express brought to him last year's pattern of broiling irons and range utensils. Nothing but the latest in style and art will satisfy one of the profession, hence the "Monarch" will linger several days yet in an incomplete condition, and the bon-vivants will go unappeased and unsatisfied.

By last night's mail we received a copy of the Overland Monthly, the brightest and best periodical on the Pacific coast. In looking over the table of contents we note a paper on "The Squatter Rights of '50 in Sacramento." We were on J street in those days with Captain Cushing, he of the auburn locks that in ringlets reached half way down to his waist, discussing squatter sovereignty with more or less warmth. We shall enjoy reading the paper, and look over the whole book during the coming week, and try and tell the people of the things therein.

Nothing particularly definite has been reported concerning the mail robbery near Zuni bridge, except there may have been engaged in it four men, two "hold-ups" and two accomplices on the look-out. The rifled mail bag, with such matter as had not been abstracted by the robbers, was brought in town at noon to day by parties sent out for that purpose. It is now at the post-office awaiting instructions from the Inspector at San Francisco, who has been fully advised by special messenger to the telegraph station, at Navajo. A ragged slit is cut about two feet lengthwise of the pouch through which much of the contents can be seen. Several parcels can be seen and show distinctly that they were not mutilated.

The testimony in a very interesting land case is being taken before Alfred Ruiz, clerk of the district court. The parties to the suit are John H. Nicholson, contestant, and Jose Padilla, contestee. The contestant is represented by T. S. Bunch and M. V. Howard of the Apache county bar, and the contestee by Colonel L. F. Eggers, of the Prescott bar. Many witnesses on each side have been summoned to testify, and their examination will probably consume two weeks. Colonel Eggers has had many years experience in the land department of the United States, hence his client has been fortunate in securing the services of an attorney thoroughly prepared to give him the best possible aid in his case.

RACING MATCH.

Preliminaries are all arranged for a race on the St. Johns course on the 12th day of September (Saturday), for \$100 a side; distance, three hundred yards. B. L. Renfro names the Henderson horse, and J. L. Hubbell the Lopez horse. Both animals are well known and high speed, and great sport may be expected.

THE HOLD-UP.

The buckboard carrying the mail, which left St. Johns for Navajo Tuesday morning last, was "held-up" by two highwaymen at Zuni bridge, about twelve miles north on the St. Johns and Navajo road. The mail pouch containing the Springerville and the entire southern and St. Johns matter was overhauled by these miscreants. Dr. Yarrow of the Smithsonian scientific exploration party, was the only passenger, and it is feared that he may be the loser of a very valuable watch in addition to whatever funds he may have had for traveling expenses. The report of the robbery was brought in by F. C. Lewis' expressman, who saw the fleeing robbers going in the direction of the Zuni villages. Sheriff Hubbell sent out a strong force of men well acquainted with every watering place and trail, who will, if possible, bring the villains in. We hope they may be successful.

THE ALBUQUERQUE FAIR.

The fifth annual territorial exposition will open at Albuquerque, New Mexico, on the 29th of September, and continue for four days. It will without doubt be the finest and most successful effort of the people of the territory in that direction since the first fair was held. The great reduction of rates on all routes leading into Albuquerque will make it possible for people everywhere, rich or poor, to visit the fair. The large accommodations for transient visitors is not excelled by any town or city in New Mexico, and no one need fear that they are to be houseless and comfortless. Albuquerque may justly boast of the finest hotels, in everything the word implies, in the great southwest. Her many restaurants, lunch and coffee rooms, and her well appointed lodging houses, will vie with the best anywhere for cleanliness and comfort to patrons, and security for their property.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

On Friday night last, between the hours of eleven and twelve, a light was discovered at the rear end of Crosby, Patterson & Co's. furniture warehouse, and by the time a general alarm could be given the whole establishment, which was constructed of wood, was aflame. Neither of the proprietors were in town at the time of the fire. Mr. Patterson being at the saw mill, in which the firm is interested, and Mr. Crosby was at Albuquerque purchasing goods for the firm. So rapid was the destruction that nothing worthy of mention was or could be saved. The loss to the firm is total, not one penny in insurance was protecting the goods in store or the building that contained them, and will amount to fully \$5,000.

The residence of Harris Baldwin, located on the adjoining lot, very narrowly escaped destruction, and it was only by fighting the flames inch by inch that it was preserved. In this particular effort Mr. Frank Clark was badly burned about the face by the flying sheets of fire. Mr. John Quigley was also in the midst of the fire, but came off with less damaging results than his co-worker, Clark.

The safe containing the books and valuable papers of the firm was opened after it had cooled, and found to contain everything in perfect condition. The sympathy of the whole community of St. Johns is expressed for Messrs. Crosby & Patterson, who are numbered among our best citizens.

COMMUNICATION.

Editor ST. JOHNS HERALD:

I write from your neighboring town of Holbrook, which always flourishes. The town in the pine cleft of the San Francisco is steadily prosperous. When friends speak of hard times, the assurance follows that "the money is in the vaults, and will find its way out." We are confident that an era of prosperity dawns for Arizona in the near future.

Your neighbors watch with interest the courage and progress of Apache county in righting her affairs. The progress is clearly genuine. Advancing the standard of private and public morality and business integrity will soon render fraud so hazardous as to be prohibitory. For years to come some will count it smart to steal, but they are not likely to commit such a crime when it is made universally odious and punishment becomes sure. So ye editor seems to think of polygamous Mormonism. Good citizens rejoice that justice has reached some of those bold opposers of law, decency and order. We hope to see the monstrous crime against the sacred institutions of the family and christian civilization obliterated from our goodly territory. The steady blows of THE HERALD are telling, and the united influences of opposition are becoming invincible. We like the discrimination and fairness evinced in your warfare against polygamy. Victory is certain. It must be abiding. The best interests of the country are involved, and the people are with you in the conflict.

Truly yours, J. T. P. HOLBROOK, August 31, 1885.

St. Johns is grading high up in life—it is animated from top to bottom. Visitors from the country, with their own outfits, are filling our boarding houses and the houses of public entertainment. They are patronizing largely our ample facilities for the care of animals; vehicles bearing people from every part of the territory are hourly arriving in anticipation of the session of the district court—some as counsel, some as litigants, and others as witnesses; our own people are brushing up to give them all a pleasant reception and welcome greeting. The "great, white school house on the hill" is the first to salute the worn traveler with the cheerful invitation "Come hither, Soul, I am the Way." The new jail, with its bright, metal roof, reflects back the sun's bright rays and invites with its borrowed brilliancy the unwary and unwise; don't be fooled by its glittering outside show, there's gloom inside—pass not by it, but turn away. Selah!

SCHOOLS! SCHOOLS!

The regular examination of teachers for Apache county will be held at St. Johns on Monday and Tuesday, September 7th and 8th. Applicants for certificates must appear on the first day of said examination.

The Board of Examiners, on Wednesday following, will employ teachers for the county for the present school year, and all trustees, teachers and others interested, are requested to make their wishes known before that day.

The Superintendent of Public Instruction will be present, and will supervise the examination and the employment of the teachers. E. C. BUNCH, C. L. GUTTERSON, T. S. BUNCH, Board of Examiners.

The Yuma Republican, Vol. 2, No. 1, George A. McCarter, editor and proprietor. There you are again George, back into the harness, laboring for "those shining shekels that make this life endurable." If the good people of Yuma have a proper appreciation of live newspaper work they will "bring peace and happiness to your household." We read your paper with much interest. Success to you.

Estray Notice.

Taken up as estray by the undersigned, at his ranch, twelve miles from St. Johns, one black horse about twelve hands high, branded K C on left hip and A on right thigh. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. JOHN SWANBURSE, August 6th, 1885.

Estray Notice.

Strayed, on or about the 18th of July, from the ranch of B. D. Wilkinson, near Carrizo, one black horse branded 3M on thigh and shoulder. Any information leading to the recovery of said horse will be liberally rewarded. O. B. LITTLE Navajo Springs, Ariz.

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APACHE COUNTY STOCK GROWERS ASSOCIATION.

OFFERS a reward of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the arrest and conviction, or information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person stealing or driving away cattle, horses or mules, the property of members of the association. HENRY SMITH, President, M. H. WELLS, Secretary, Springerville Salt Lakes, via Navajo Springs. ml-14.

THE ST. JOHNS

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are now offering for sale their Magnificent Garden and Farming Land, along the line of the irrigating canal, from which an abundance of water can at all times be supplied for all necessary purposes. Three thousand acres have already been disposed of and the owners thereof, have in most cases, commenced working the land. The divisions are in forty-acre plots.

Parties desiring to secure pleasant homes in the finest country and climate in all the West, will apply for terms and further particulars to

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NOTICES.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE
Territory of Arizona, County of Apache.
Emma Rachel Hixon,
Plaintiff,
versus
Albert W. Hixon,
Defendant.

Action brought in the County Court of the County of Apache, Territory of Arizona.

Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Albert W. Hixon. You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the County Court of the County of Apache, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the District Court of St. Johns, in said County, (a copy of which complaint accompanies this summons,) within twenty days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in the County; and within thirty days, then within thirty days, in all other cases, forty days. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint, as above required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded and costs and disbursements in this behalf expended. Given under my hand and the Seal of said County Court, this 11th day of May A. D. 1885.

ALFRED RUIZ, Clerk.
C. L. GUTTERSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE

Third Judicial District, of the Territory of Arizona, setting within and for the County of Apache.

Antonio Gonzales, as administrator of the estate of Victor Rouiller, deceased, Plaintiff,

vs.
Eben Stanley, Sarah Stanley, E. C. Bunch et al., Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and a decree of foreclosure, issued out of the above named court, on the 18th day of August, 1885, in the above entitled action, wherein Antonio Gonzales, as administrator of the estate of Victor Rouiller, deceased, the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree against Eben Stanley and Sarah Stanley, the above named defendants, on the eleventh day of February, 1885, which said decree was on the twelfth day of February, 1885, recorded in judgment book A, of said court, at pages 57, 58, 59, 60 and 61. I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Apache, Territory of Arizona, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: The south-east one quarter of the south-west one quarter and the south-west one quarter of the south-east one quarter of Section twenty-nine (29) and the north-east one quarter of the north-west one quarter and the north-west one quarter of the north-east one quarter of Section thirty-two (32) in Township nine (9) north and Range No. six (6) north of the Gila and Salt River base meridian.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 14th day of September 1885, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, at the front door of the court house in the village of St. Johns, in the county aforesaid, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure sell the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment with interest thereon and costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

J. L. HUBBELL,
Sheriff of Apache County, Arizona.

By F. A. HUBBELL, Deputy.

E. M. SANFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

OFFICE OF THE APACHE COUNTY
CATTLE INSPECTOR, NAVAJO SPRINGS, ARIZONA.
Notice is hereby given to all parties driving cattle into, or through, Apache County that the Territorial laws require all cattle so driven to be inspected by the officer appointed for that purpose. That the undersigned has been duly appointed by the territorial Governor, Inspector, and by virtue of such appointment is obliged to enforce observance of the law. Owners of cattle will greatly facilitate the business by giving five days notice of the time and place to the undersigned where, in the interest of all parties, such inspection can best be made.

G. A. ZIEGLER,
Inspector.

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT PRESCOTT, ARIZONA.

August 6th, 1885.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or in his absence the Clerk of the District Court of Apache County, Arizona, at St. Johns, Arizona, on the 7th day of September, 1885, viz: John W. Appar, of Springerville, Apache County, Arizona, for his declaratory statement No. 1572, for the southeast 1/4 of the northwest 1/4 of section No. twenty-seven (27) east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: C. O. Howe, Frank Work, David Logan, and J. D. Folsom, all of Salt Lake, Apache County, Arizona Territory.

THOMAS WING, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT PRESCOTT, ARIZONA.

September 3d, 1885.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge, or in his absence the Clerk of the District Court of Apache County, Arizona, at St. Johns, Arizona, on the 3d day of October, 1885, viz: John Q. Adamson, of Show Low, Apache County, Arizona, for his declaratory statement No. 1504, for the southwest 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of section No. twenty-five (25), and the east 1/2 of the southeast 1/4 of section No. twenty-six (26), and the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of section No. thirty-five (35) in township No. nine (9) north, and range No. twenty-two (22) east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Whitcomb, R. C. Kinder, D. J. Porter and Robert Scott, all of Show Low, Apache County, Arizona Territory.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Henry Work, C. O. Howe, J. D. Folsom, and David Logan, all of Salt Lake, Apache County, Arizona Territory.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Estanislao Linares, Thomas D. Harris, William Harris and James Richards, all of St. Johns, Apache County, Arizona.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John H. Batcher, John W. Appar, Aggar and Edwin Stanley, of Springerville, Apache County, Arizona Territory, and Edward Sherlock, of Socorro county, New Mexico.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John H. Batcher, John W. Appar, Aggar and Edwin Stanley, of Springerville, Apache County, Arizona Territory, and Edward Sherlock, of Socorro county, New Mexico.

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